Price of Serenace tablets

3720. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the price of Serenace tablets based on Haloperidol is justified;

(b) what are the sales of these tablets based on ORG available with his Ministry; and

(c) what steps have been taken to bring down the price of formulations based on this drug?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (c) As per the provisions of DPCO, 1987 the manufacturers of non-scheduled formulations/bulk drugs are free to revise the prices. However, Government is keeping a watch and has intervened, wherever found necessary.

(b) Sales turnover of individual brands is not monitored.

Prices of Neosporin range drugs

3721. DR. (SHRIMATI) NAJMA HEPTULLA:

SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 1526 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 8th August, 1988 and state:

(a) what are the details regarding the prices of Neosporin range, Dilosyn, Bendryl, Hemaccel, Zolandin, Evion, Kanacort, Flucort and Santivini at the commencement of DPCO, 1987 and at present;

(b) when was the price of each fixed under DPCO, 1979 and since when the concerned companies were over charging the prices; and

(c) what is the sales turnover of each of these as per the latest ORG available with his Ministry?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (b) The required details to the extent available are given in the enclosed Statement (*See* below)

(c) Sales turnover is not monitored.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of the Formulation	Pack	Pre-revised Price (Rs.)	Revised Price (Rs.)	%change	
1.	Dilosyn Expectorant	450 ml	27.14	23.00	(–)	17.1
2.	Neosporin Powder	10 gm	10.71	9.51	(–)	11.2
3.	Neosporin Eye Drops	10 ml	10.09	9.20	(–)	8.8
4.	Haemaccel	500 ml	40.04	52.00	(+)	29.9
5.	Benadryl Syrup	114 ml	06.08	7.36	(+)	21.1
6.	Do.	456 ml	19.30	22.51	(+)	16.6
7.	Benadryl Cap. 25 mg	10's Strip	2.18	2 55	(+)	17.0
8.	Do.	100's Bottle	16.90	19.73	(+)	16.8
9.	Benadryl Expectorant	114 ml Bottle	6.36	9.00	(+)	52.8
10.	Do.	456 ml Bottle	18.55	24.02	(+)	29.5
11.	Benadryl Kaps 50mg.	50's Bottle	10.46	12.22	(+)	16.8
12.	Zolandin Cream 5%	20 gm Tube	3.83	6.40	(+)	67.1